22, 23, 24 and 25 will be paid on Fond -Pontotoe Democrat.

presentation to the City Treasurer. At the residence of the bride's Dec 6th, 1880.

have issued the following circular: "The Knights of Pythias ball, ailof the weather. The committee in loyed, and prosperity unbounded, as tharge have concluded to give said Ball on Tuesday Eve, December 28th, at McIver Hall They hope the pub De will appreciate their attempt to fur-

Tombigbee river, about four miles sition soon. Hurrah for Ohio.

he Cad Fellows Hall; will take place the Mclver Hall, on the evening of the 24th- Extensive preparations are being made, and it will be in point of grandure and beauty, far shead of any tree ever before exhibited in Okolona. There will also be, several beantiful tableaus presented, in connection with the tree. Everybody in cordially invited to send their pr sents to the Hall early in the afterpoon as a committee will be in the Hall to receive them during the after Admission -- Adulta, 25c,

Children, 15c Come everybody! Remember the money is to be used in repairing the Methodist and Baptist churches in

Let It's a custom with a large pro portion of the country presito issue no paper during the Chiletons hol-We have not heretofore adopted it, nor do we do so now, with the i lea of setting a precedent to be bereafter follower by the employees of this office, but we log the indulgence, of the readers of the Mescuse, that we have labored unceasing for the past year, to have our paper out on time, and to furnish the latest news, and new we all from the editor in-chief to the printer's devil, (just like other people, strange as it may appear,) want a little rest and recreation. Wishing our friends and patrons a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, we bid them adieu until January 6th when the MESSEN-

our will greet them as of yore. day, on the Houston road, about eley-en miles from this place, between a tween the ages of 5 and 20 years, said white man named Kelly and some ne groes in which Kelly was shot in the thigh and three negroes were also of the Treasury as an Educational shot—two by Kelly, in the head, and one in the arm, by some one else. One of the negroes, named Garret Keys, of the negroes, named Garret Keys, first ten years the apportionment. shot by Kelly, has died. It seems first ten years the apportionment hibition at the Drug Store of Knox, & Co., Okolena, Miss. a Mr. Barnett, who lives on the pub. s Mr. Barnest, who lives on the public road, about where the shooting occurred, went out with Kelly to remonstrate with the negroes against and provided further that one third using profane and obscene language, of the income from the said fund shall reminding them that ladies were in be annually appropriated to complete

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The Mussawarn extends congrate lations and wishes the happy pair a long, happy and prosperous life. At the residence of the bride's Le Don't forget the little on a, father, Capt T. J. Crawford, on

erly Miss Susan A. Clegg, will hear of something to her benefit by writing to H. B. Lacey, Circuit Clerk, Okos. ther, J. A. McDaniel, Esq., near Friendship Church, on the 22d Inst.

The MESSENGER extends congratu- gin to push them off at once. vertised to be given on the 15th of lations to the gentlemanty groom; December, at Okolona, was post- and the lovely bride, and wishes poned on account of the inclemency them joy uncensing, imppiness unalthey go hand in hand through life. Son.

nish musement during the Ciristman Hollidays, and cestow a liberal patronage. The committee is determined to make it an enjoyable affair, and will spare no pains or expense to secure success.

Judge Wm. B. Woods of Alabama, Military, lefters of Administration, and the Emails of C. G. Scaron, deceased the E said Stanley Matthews another Obio sther will be barred. Safe Pills and Safe Ridney and Liver said Stanley Matthews another Obio Riding, who lived in the fork of the man will be appointed to a like po-

Yallabusha county Treascree-H. O. Dixon, Hinds,

SECHETARY-Mrs. Ellep A. Aby, Claiborne county.

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Scott county.

Synopsis of the Educational Bill secretation. Wishing our friends and patrons a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, we hid them adied in the saies of the public lands, and of patents, are forever set apart for the education of the people. The Secretary of the Treasury shall apportion the proceeds to the several States, territorias and the District of Columbia, on the Houston road, about eleving the saies of population between the saies of the public lands, and of patents. Senate to day: The net proceeds of that will give satisfaction. Any information can be given at this office of those who do not used it is that will give satisfaction. Any information can be given at this office of the several states, in the proceeds to the several States, territorias and the District of Columbia, upon the basis of population between the said of the said of

reminding them that ladies were in the house they were passing. A few the and support of callthe house they were passing. As few words passed, when one of the negroes, said to be Garret Keys, knocked Kelly down, and as he rose shot him, hitting him in the thigh. Kelly drew hispistols and fired shooting his opponent in the head. Another negro then advanced and fired at Kelly, whom Kelly also about in the bead. This ended the difficulty, but after the wagons containing the negroes moved off, two more pistol shots ward fired by the crowd of excited negroes, and one of their number. Tom Crawford, was shot in the arm. From all we can learn Mr. Kelly seted in self-defense. It is but just to say that one at least of the crowd of negroes was attempting to keep the peace all the time. We refer to Tom Crawford, who has We refer to Tom Crawford, who has of teachers of common schools. To salways born the repaintion of a good be entitled to the benefit of this act any State, etc., must maintain for st least three months in each year, a syn tem of free public schools for all Suro he'll show you of tem of free public schools for all The Property known as the Gill of age. Any State, eet, misspriying Piace, about three miles South-west act shall forfelt further grants until the amount so misapplied shall have been replaced by said State, etc. Nothing contained in the act shall be beld to alter any previous law regard held to alter any previous law regarding the disposition of public land, nor limit the power of Congress over the public domain, nor intefere with granting bounty land to soldiers and terms, cow stables and other out bouses, and is enclosed by a good fence. For further particulars apply at this office, decided and de

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